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Marlinton, West Virginia

MRS. ABSALOM SYDENSTRICKER

The death of one of our most useful missionaries on the foreign field deserves more than a passing notice, for, aside from the long life of service rendered by this handmaid of the Lord, many in the Greenbrier Valley and especially in Pocahontas county, of which she was a native, are deeply interested in her and her loved ones.

News was received by letter about the first of November, 1921, that Mrs. Carrie M. Sydenstricker, wife of Rev. Absalom Sydenstricker of Chinkiang, China, had fallen asleep. No details of the last days have been received except the information that she had been declining for about eight months and that her trouble was an affection of the heart.

Mrs. Sydenstricker was the daughter of Hermanus Stulting and his wife Hannah, who came to America from Utrecht, Holland, in the year 1848, landing in New York City the 21st of June. They sought refuge in this land of freedom from the persecutions that had then arisen in Holland over the introduction of liberalism into the theology of the State church of Holland. These people who left their own beloved land to try the undreamed of experience of the new world did so under a profound urgency of conscience. They were not only Calvinists, but they were deeply religious. Their religion had cost them a great deal—everything, in fact, that men ordinarily held dear—home and friends and associations it was worth all it had cost.

In such a home Mrs. Sydenstricker was born March 9, 1857, and in an atmosphere of religious fervor akin to the Covenanter spirit of Scotland she was reared. The type of religion fructifying in such a home is apt to be austere and forbidding but there was none of this spirit in Mrs. Sydenstricker for she had learned too well the grace that the Apostle so beautifully describes in 1st Cor. 13, which suffereth long and is kind.

At about fourteen years of age she was admitted to communion as a member of Oak Grove church in which she had been baptized. She early matured a rare piety and when very young decided that God had called her to go to the Foreign Field. It fell out in the Providence of God that her pastor's brother, Rev. Absalom Sydenstricker, who was then planning to go as a missionary to China, came to Hillsboro on a visit and met Miss Stulting. The Lord led the young couple very soon to see that His plan for them was that they should go as man and wife to their new work. They were married in September 1880, and immediately proceeded to China where they opened the station at Chinkiang and there remained several years in the service of the Master. They then removed to Chinkiang and labored abundantly there until God called his handmaid to a higher service, about October 21, 1921.

To these missionaries of the Cross there were born six children, only three of which survive—Edgar Sydenstricker, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Pearl Buck, a missionary in the northern Presbyterian church, and Miss Grace, who had just returned to China from America upon the completion of her education in time to be

with her mother in her last days on earth.

Mrs. Sydenstricker leaves two brothers, Messrs. C. J. Stulting, of Hillsboro, and C. L. Stulting, Alderson; and three sisters, Mrs. John A. Myers, Roncoverte; Mrs. F. A. Doyle, Valley Center, Va.; and Mrs. N. J. Doyle, Monterey, Va., whose coming she will await in her heavenly home. To all these, many friends extend sincerest christian sympathies, and they will pray the grace of our blessed Redeemer to support the lonely husband in his far off home.

"To him that overcometh will I grant to sit with me in my throne, even as I also overcame and am set down with my Father in his throne."

J. C. J.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kays, of Campbelltown, November 22, 1921, and called away their darling little son James, aged seven years, seven months and 29 days. He leaves to mourn his lose father, mother and one little sister, Catherine. He was a bright and loving little boy and was loved by all who knew him. Burial service was conducted at Edway on the 25th by the Mosce Lodge. He will be sadly missed in his home, but God knows best, and all is well. "Suffer the little children to come unto me and forbid them not for of such is the kingdom of God."

In memory of little James Kays. Calm was the day when you left us dear James; bright did the sun shine but oh what a dark shadow was cast when we thought of you as gone. We often sit and think of you dear James when all alone, for memory is the only thing that grief can call its own but God gave and he has taken away the loving son and brother of our home and in the years to come we will understand why he left us here.

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The Board of Education of Greenbank District will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, on December 10, 1921, at 2 o'clock p. m., the following school property: 1 house and 2 lots in Durbin; 1 house and lot at the tannery near Durbin.

Also one school house on the farm of S. B. Nethkin (the Siple farm) at the school house at 2 o'clock on the above date. The said Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the said board, this 23rd day of November, 1921.

Terms, Cash.

J. H. CURRY, Secty.

Hon. C. W. Osenton, prominent Fayette attorney and Mrs. Margaret H. Williamson, of Kanawha Falls, were married Saturday, Nov. 19 at the home of the bride by Rev. Guy Coffman. The wedding was a very quiet home affair. They will make their home at Kanawha Falls. Their many friends wish them many happy years.

H. Lee White recently purchased two 2-year old registered Herford heifers and one bull.

Revival services will begin in the M. E. Church, South, at Dunmore, Monday, November 29th at 7:30 p.m. Rev. S. R. Neil, of Alderson, will preach.

J. W. Rosenberger, Pastor.

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Paints - "Sherwin-Williams" Rubbers-
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Marlinton - West Virginia

LOCAL MENTION.

Ewing Sharp is very ill at his home near Clawson.

Newton Friel is very sick at his home near Warwick.

Mrs. Malinda C. Hannah, of Elk, was a visitor at this office Wednesday.

Hull Yeager, from Davis & Elkins College spent Sunday with home folks.

W. O. Sydnor, of Huntington, spent last week with his son, F. M. Sydnor.

E. D. Burner, who has lived in the west the past twenty years, has moved his family to Durbin to make his home there.

George D. Kincaid has sold his farm in the Brush to Squire Bird. Mr. Kincaid expects to return to Durbin in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen, of near Warwick, were in town Wednesday. This was Mrs. Allen's first visit to Marlinton in three years.

DURBIN

Very little game has been killed this hunting season except one large bear killed by Lee Galford last week.

There was a fine supper in the I. O. O. F. Hall Thursday night which was enjoyed by a large crowd of people.

The new road coming from Arbovale will soon be to Bartow, but on account of so much rain it is almost impossible except by horse back. Some cars have been going around by Top Alleghany to get to Greenbank.

The state has made a preliminary survey over the Staunton & Parkersburg Pike from Durbin to the Randolph County line.

Ernest Oldaker and Oscar Slaven have gone to Morgantown to build several houses that they have under contract.

Our town seems to be flooded with poodle dogs. Sorry to see them come in fashion. We hope that Santa Clause will bring some large dolls Christmas.

The Central Garage at Durbin will change proprietors the first of the year.

The picture show at the Durbin Theatre has not been running for a long time.

Miss Virginia Hull was home from Alderson for Thanksgiving, where she has been going to school. We also noticed B. R. Dodd on our streets Thanksgiving from Alderson.

Our town is greatly improved by a fine school building.

L. D. Fowler of Gorman, is in our town on business.

S. T. Ruckman was visiting his son, John Ruckman, in Crabbottom, Va., Thanksgiving and reported a fine time.

A good congregation attended the union Thanksgiving Service at the Presbyterian church last Thursday morning.

The open season for all game, except water fowl and rabbits, closed Wednesday, November 30. More than the usual number of pheasants and turkeys lived through.

A big bear was seen on the Staunton & Parkersburg pike on Allegheny mountain near the State line, one day last week.

The house of Levi Irvine in the Brush burned on last Saturday morning. Very little of the household goods were saved. The fire caught from a flue. The loss is about \$1500 and no insurance.

U. S. OFFICIAL WAR FILM
"Flashes in Action"

Under auspices Local Post American Legion, at Amusa Theatre.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7.

All proceeds go to American Legion. Six reels of the best of all War Films.

For Chapped Face and Hands

use FROST CREAM. Good for all irritations of the skin caused by exposure. It is a liquid but not sticky or greasy and has a most pleasant odor.

Your dealer can supply you.

MARLINTON METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. F. B. Wyand, Pastor.
Sunday School 9:45.
A. S. Overholt, Superintendent.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock.
Sermon subject: "Every One had Four Faces."
7:00 p. m. Epworth League.
7:45 Pleading service.
We invite you to these services.

Toytown and Dollyville

Now Bid You Welcome

Childhood's happiest dreams of Christmas morning could not picture such a wealth of Toys, Dolls, Books, Games, Etc. There are heaps and heaps of them. Old Santa certainly has been a hard worker since last Christmas.

Here are some of the things you will see—Dolls with beautiful, almost human, faces and real hair. Dolls with coquettish eyes and alluring smiles. Blocks with big letters on them in all sorts of pretty colors and many with animals and pictures. Toy Soldiers that stand up just as straight as big brother did when he wore his uniform; big elephants and tekey bears; cows that moo and pigs that squeal, and all sorts of circus animals so that you can have your own circus. Neat Little Trunks that will hold all of dolly's clothes. Tops that spin and sing or play a tune, and all sort of Animal Toys on wheels. And then there are toys that you can wind up and they will dash around the room as though they were alive; Building Toys that will keep the boy absorbed for hours and teach him how big engineering feats are accomplished. Automobiles with real horns to toot; and big toys, and little toys—almost no end to them.

Even greater big stacks of books with wonderful pictures and stories that children will pore over until they go to sleep.

A MILLION DOLLAR BABY

Naturally, those who see this heading expect to read about some "baby heir" of an American multi-millionaire, and they will be surprised to learn that such a description applies to a scientific pyorrhea preventative, tooth and mouth preparation, and they will doubtless wonder how such a product ever came to be spoken of as a "million dollar baby." So the story must be told.

Over three years ago, the Research Department of the Rexall Company, in consultation with chemical specialists, began an exhaustive investigation into the disease pyorrhea, and its proper treatment, and in their characteristically thorough way spent over two years before they perfected a compound which answered every test, according to their high standards. Such a remarkable demand has been created that they have named it "the Million Dollar Baby." Probably no preparation that is devised for use as a germ combatter was found so efficacious in preventing all contagious diseases that enter the system through the mouth and nose as Klezno Liquid Antiseptic. Especially was it proved that users of it completely escaped all attacks of the flu when so prevalent last year. This Rexall product can be purchased in 25c, and 50c special toilet bottles at

Royal Drug Stores
Marlinton, Renick, W. Va.

Christmas Gift Suggestions

Is there is anything more appropriate for Christmas Giving or more highly appreciated than the things in our well stocked jewelry store?

- Diamonds
- Watches
- Clocks
- Jewelry
- Silverware
- Cut Glass
- China
- Silk Umbrellas
- Parke Lucky Curve Fountain Pens
- Eversharp Pencils
- Toilet Sets
- Manicure Sets
- Pearl Beads
- Rings
- Charms
- Chains
- Victrolas
- Victor Records

Amos Wooddell
JEWELER
Marlinton, West Virginia

ESTRAY NOTICE.
One stray helper at my place near Dunmore, W. Va. The owner may have same by proving property and paying for advertising and keeping.
\$1.68 Clyde Carpenter.

Dressed Dolls
A foot high, dressed in flower-ed lawn or striped percale rompers or frocks with belts and collars.
And let every little girl who comes to Toytown have one only for a dime.

Doll Clothes
Of course you will want some extra clothes for your doll and naturally you will need some new clothes for your best doll that you have had since last Christmas.
Here are lots and lots of dresses, shoes, stockings, hats, sweaters, caps, and other things. They are from 50c to \$5.00

Coats and Suits

We must sell our coats and suits regardless of cost. 10.95 and up

Millinery At Half Price

H. KELMENSEN

Big December Sale

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Farmer's Supply Company

Arbovale, West Virginia

During the month of December, we offer special prices on all our store goods in every department. Below we list a number of prices to give an idea of the systematic price cutting we are making.

Groceries		Drugs		Shoes	
Browning's Delicious 45c Coffee	35c	Stella Vitae, for women, \$1 bottle	75c	Men's #14 high cut	10 00
Madja 30c coffee	25c	Cardui, \$1 bottle for	75c	Men's #11 high cut	8 00
Alliance 50c coffee	40c	Dr. Thatcher's Blood and Liver Syrup, \$1.15 bottle for	84c	Men's #10 high cut	6 50
Loose coffee	15c		43c	Men's 10 00 dress shoes	7 00
Tea, 25c packet	20c	Liniment, 35c size	27c	Mens 9 25 dress shoes	6 25
Jello, 15c box	10c	Magnetic Ointment, 35c size	27c	Mens 8 85 dress shoes	4 50
Corn Starch, 18c box	15c	Diarrhoea Mixture, 35c size	27c	Boys 4 50 dress shoes	3 25
Patcake flour, 35c pkg	25c	Worm Syrup, 35c size	27c	Boys 5 00 dress shoes	3 75
Corn and peas, 2 cans for	25c	Liver Pills, 25c box	21c	Boys 4 00 dress shoes	2 00
Soda, 6 packages for	25c	Kidney Pills, 60c size	45c	Womens 10 50 dress shoes	7 00
Rolled Oats, small, 2 for	25c	Ai-Tone tablets, \$1 box	75c	Womens 8 00 dress shoes	6 00
Rolled Oats, large	30c	Native Herb tablets, \$1 box	75c	Womens 5 50 dress shoes	4 00
California Pink Beans	10c	Vicks Salve, 30c size	25c	Womens 4 50 dress shoes	3 25
Pure lard, 2 pound bucket	40c	Mother Joy salve, 30c size	24c	Womens 9 00 oxfords	5 00
Pure Lard, 5 pound	90c			Womens 5 50 oxfords	4 00
Flake White, 5 pounds	75c				
Crystal Karo Syrup 10lbs	65c				
Crystal Karo Syrup 5lbs	35c				
Blue Label syrup 10lbs	60c				
10c Soap 3 for	25c				

Above prices include war tax.

SHIRTS, Etc.		Tobaccos	
3 00 dress shirts	2 19	Plug tobaccos	25c
6 00 wool shirts, now	4 50	10c smoking, 3 for	25c
4 50 wool shirts	2 95	10c twist, 3 for	25c
4 50 sweaters	3 25		
3 00 sweaters	1 95	Dress Gingham, 10c to 25c yd	9 50
7 00 women's sweaters now	4 95	Silk Poplin, 1 00 grade, 80c yd	1 85 yd
6 00 army goods trousers now	4 50	Wool Serge, 2 50 grade, 1 85 yd	1 85 yd
10 00 rain coats	5 00	Wool Mixed Serge, 1 25 grade, 76c yd	5 00
2 95 6 00 suits	4 50	9 4 brown sheeting, 50c yd	4 50
2 95 3 00 hats	1 95	8 4 bleached sheeting, 45c yd	1 95
35c Army blankets	6 00	Brown & bleached cotton 12 1-2 to 20c	6 00
		Outing, 18c yard.	

Hats, caps, raincoats, trousers and overalls at greatly reduced prices. Also ladies hose, underwear, toilet accessories, and all kinds of notions.

Many useful articles suitable for Xmas presents.

The Farmer's Supply Co.

F. C. Arbogast, Mgr. Arbovale, W. Va.

December Poultry

Any time this month we can handle shipments of strictly Fancy Fat Poultry advantageously. Inuring the shippers extra good prices but unless your produce is in fine shape hold it until the Holidays. By no means ship when the weather is too warm.

The extremely hot weather just preceding Thanksgiving was certainly a thunderbolt to us. Many shipments arrived in such bad condition that they were convulsated by Board of Health as unfit for food. This we were powerless to prohibit. Notwithstanding this unfortunate condition we were able to handle an immense quantity of poultry at excellent prices.

If any customer was dissatisfied with his returns please write us; we are here to serve the poultry growers and shippers and nothing short of what humans can do will please us.—We appreciate the confidence you place in us in permitting us to handle your shipment and always endeavor to express our thanks by realizing the highest possible prices for your stock.

Write us for the Christmas and New Year outlook.

Frank Hellerick & Co.

A poultry house every day in the year!

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Hereford Bulls

I have a lot of young Hereford bulls, registered and fine specimens of the breed. Will be sold for spring delivery.

J. S. McWol, Seebert, W. Va.

WANTED:—Salesmen with ear to call on dealers with a low priced 6,000 mile fabric and 10,000 mile cord tire. \$100.00 per week with extra commissions. Universal Tire & Rubber Company, Mishigan City, Indiana.

SUPPER
There will be a box and pie supper at the Huntersville school house Friday night December 2nd for the benefit of the Red Cross.
Mrs. Ida McComb,
R. Ernest White,
C. V. Grimes,
Committee.

The Hosterman Literary society will hold its second meeting on Friday December 2nd. Ladies and gentlemen are cordially invited but those who conduct themselves as neither will not be welcomed. Committee.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will serve their annual turkey dinner at the church this evening, beginning at 5 o'clock.